

National Weather Service Southeast River Forecast Center



Daily Operational Support Message

issued

Monday, October 10th, 2016 for North Carolina and Virginia



Key Points

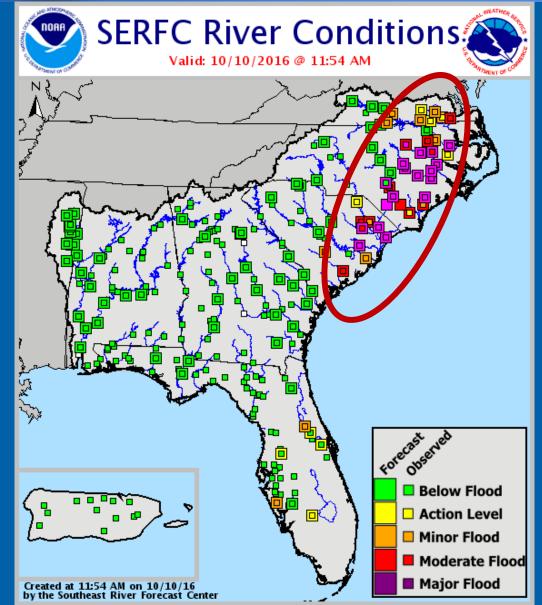


- Flooding will continue through the week as water moves towards the coast. We have included the hydrographs from the most impacted areas to assist.
- Flooding throughout the eastern halves of North Carolina, South Carolina, and Virginia. Record flooding in some areas with flooding disrupting the roads and inundating communities. Stay safe and don't drive into flooded areas.
- Please check with local weather forecast offices and emergency management for local impacts.



Current River Status





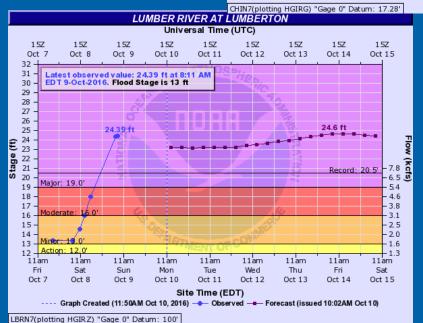
- The red oval shows most impacted areas due to heavy rain in the area.
- Hydrographs of the area will follow. They focus on the areas most impacted.
- I have tried to group the forecasts in logical way so they are easy to find.

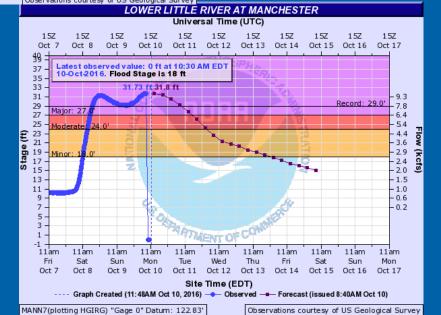


River Forecasts



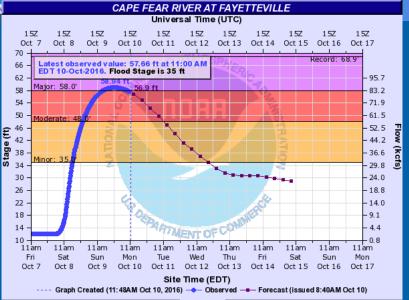








Cape Fear River Forecasts



FAYN7(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: 19.64'

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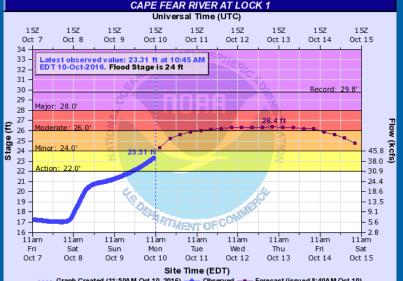


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STPN7(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: -3.12'

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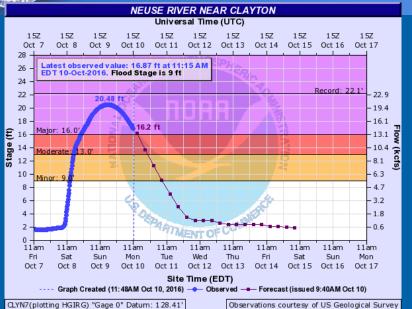
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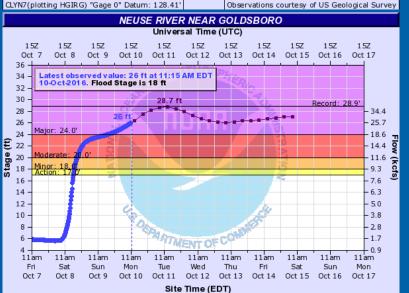
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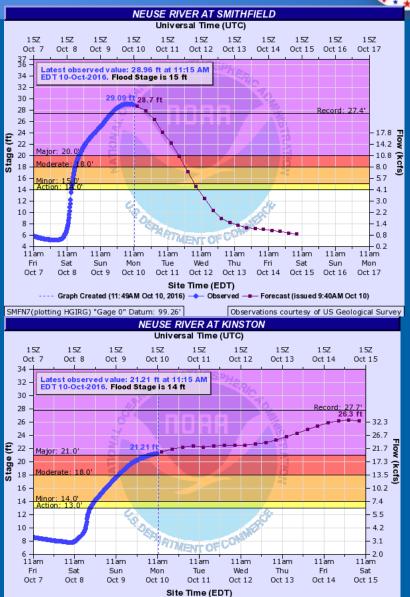
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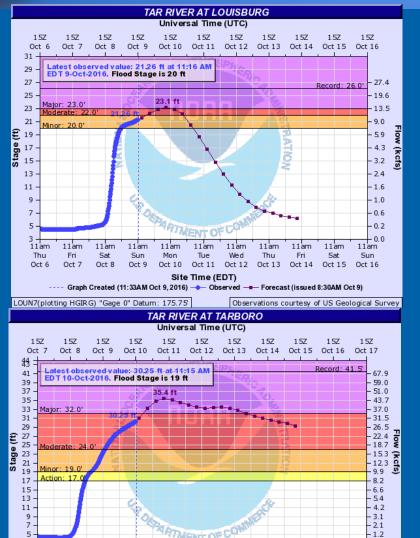


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Tar River Forecasts



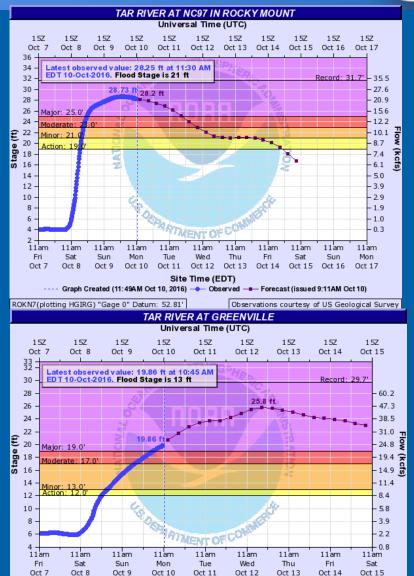


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Site Time (EDT)

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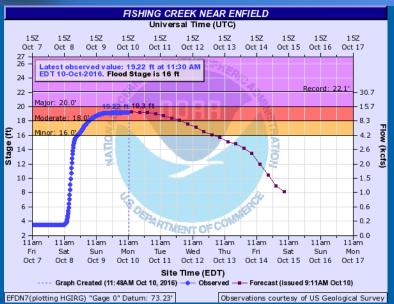
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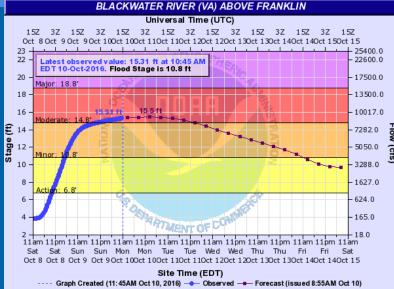


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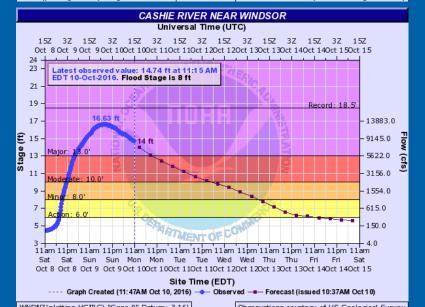






FKNV2(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: 0'

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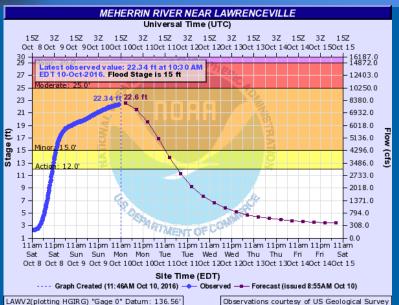
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HOKN7(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: 14.85"



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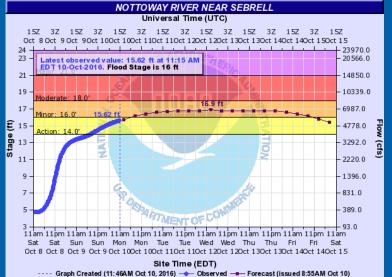
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STYV2(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: 58.42'



SEBV2(plotting HGIRG) "Gage 0" Datum: 5.94" Observations courtesy of US Geological Survey



SERFC Operational Status



- SERFC will remain on 24-hour operations. Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns.
- The Daily Operational Support message will be issued again tomorrow for the Carolinas.
- Today's morning forecasts are available at: http://weather.gov/serfc
- Please send all operational correspondence to <u>sr-alr.rivers@noaa.gov</u> or call the office directly.



Helpful Bookmarks



- Monitor the NWS weather radar:
 - http://radar.weather.gov/Conus/southeast.php
- SERFC Quick Briefing Page:
 - http://www.weather.gov/serfc/?n=quickbrief
- NWS National 5-day rainfall forecasts
 - http://www.wpc.ncep.noaa.gov/qpf/qpf2.shtml
- NWS Meteorological Model Ensemble 7-day probabilistic river forecasts
 - http://www.weather.gov/erh/MMEFS



About this Briefing



- The Daily Operational Support Message will continue tomorrow to update you on current conditions and changes to the forecast.
- These slides are intended for your use. Please feel free to share these with others. If you have any questions please email sr-alr.rivers@noaa.gov or contact your local NWS Weather Forecast Office.
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